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Canton First Does Something For Its Young People

By DAUNIE JEAN NETTLES
Baptist Record Staff Writer

The First Church, Canton, has gone all the way in promoting an effective church-sponsored youth program for its young people, and the young folk are taking advantage of the facilities. Results are seen in the fact that large crowds are attending the organizations and worship services.

Miss Inez Smith, Youth Director, is in charge of the entire program, under the general oversight of the pastor, Dr. John W. Landrum, and a church recreation committee, which is composed of: Bryan D. Stringer, chairman; W. D. Myers, chairman of the deacons, and the following department superintendents in the Sunday School: Mrs. E. J. Montgomery, Mrs. Floyd E. Johnson and Mrs. J. Barnett Jones.

The old pastorage, which provides for the intermediate department of the church, has been converted into a Youth Center. The large assembly room, used for banquets and parties, has two ping pong tables and a Coca-Cola machine. Proceeds from the Coke machine pay for ping pong balls, games, etc., and furnish free drinks for the Youth Fellowship following church on Sunday night.

Adjoining the assembly room is a church library and various game rooms where caroms, quoits, checkers, dominoes, darts and various other games may be played.

The Youth Center is open six hours each day to all youth, regardless of age or church affiliation. The Youth Director is in charge in the afternoon, including Sunday, and parents, secured by the Church Recreation Committee, are in charge each night. The Youth Center is always closed during the prayer meeting hour and in event of any church meeting, such as study courses, etc.

Individuals, couples, dating groups, classes, departments and all others have access to the completely equipped kitchen, which includes a restaurant type (Continued on Page Four)

Southern Seminary Pastors Conference July 23-Aug. 3

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 29—Ministers attending the Pastors' Conference at Southern Seminary, July 23 to August 3, will have an opportunity to "combine a delightful vacation with study, intellectual refreshment, and spiritual enrichment," according to Dr. G. S. Dobbins, acting president of the Seminary.

The Seminary library will be open for those who like to browse and the afternoons will be free for recreation and visits to places of interest. The daily schedule will include a Bible Hour, 8:30 to 9:45 a. m.; simultaneous conferences, 10 to 10:50 and 11 to 11:50 a. m.; worship and address, 12 noon to 12:50 p. m.; and worship and sermon, 8 to 9 p. m.

Besides members of the faculty the program personalities will include: Dr. J. B. McLaurin, of Canada; Dr. Duke K. McCall, of the Executive Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention; Dr. Garland Hendricks, of Gardner-Webb College; Dr. W. R. Pettigrew, pastor of the Walnut Street Church, Louisville; Dr. Roland H. Bainton, of Yale University; and Dr. Ralph Herring, pastor of First Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N. C.

Faculty members appearing on the (Continued on Page Eight)

MAXIMUM INSPIRATION—MINIMUM PERSPIRATION

By CHESTER L. QUARLES, Executive Secretary

Many years ago one of our great Southern Baptists in promoting the idea of assembly attendance said, "For maximum inspiration and minimum perspiration go to an assembly." Ever since the religious people of America began going to the old style camp meetings and then later to the Lake Chautauqua, the Christian people of America have been going to summer assemblies with great pleasure and great profit. Surely no one could possibly evaluate the religious value of the summer assemblies of the various denominations of America.

Truman Endorses Family Week

President Harry Truman has written his endorsement of the observance of National Family Week, set for May 6-13, with its emphasis "on the role which the family must play in preserving faith in our religious and democratic principles."

Although many families will be separated during the present war emergencies, "such dislocations will not interrupt the basic unity of a family bound together by love and a mutual faith in God," he suggested in a letter released here today.

"The guiding principles which the child has acquired in a truly religious family will give him moral strength and courage to face with confidence the uncertainties of the future."

A number of years ago Mississippi Baptists had a great Summer assembly. Thousands of Mississippi Baptists were blessed by these early assemblies under the leadership of our great leaders of another day. It has been expressed many times by pastors and laymen and outstanding women that we should in this present day have great assemblies for Training Union and Sunday school work in addition to our wonderful assemblies promoted by our Woman's Missionary Union of Mississippi. An effort has been made to find a suitable location for assembly grounds for Baptists here in Mississippi.

Several years ago the Woman's Missionary Union of Mississippi started a wonderful camp several miles out from Clinton, Mississippi. Money was collected from many sources under the leadership of WMU and the camp was built. It has been functioning very effectively for several years.

Knowing the interest in an assembly program for Mississippi Baptists, the offer was made by the Mississippi WMU to grant other agencies the use of these wonderful grounds during the month of July. This, of course, is the ideal month for assemblies. The offer was accepted and we are planning for assemblies this summer.

FIRST TRAINING UNION ASSEMBLY
Under the leadership of genial Auber J. Wilds, the first Training Union As- (Continued on Page Two)

Hotels Filling Up In San Francisco

Twenty-nine hotels no longer have rooms available for the Southern Baptist Convention dates, June 20-24. These hotels are:

Alexander Hamilton, Bellevue, Beverly Plaza, Californian, Canterbury, Chancellor, Clift, Drake Wiltshire, El Cortez, Embassy, Fairmont, Fielding, Franciscan, Gotham, Governor, Lombard.

Mark Hopkins, Maurice New Alden, Oxford, Palace, Plaza, Richelieu, Roosevelt Senator, Shaw, Sir Francis Drake, Stewart and Whitcomb.

The following hotels are still available for reservations at this date:

Hotel & Address	Rates
Arlington, 480 Ellis	\$2.00-\$3.50
Barclay, 235 O'Farrell	3.00-4.50
Breshford, 635 Sutter	3.00-5.00
Biltmore, 735 Taylor	4.00-6.00
Brayton, 50 Turk	2.50-5.00
Cadillac, 380 Eddy	3.00-5.50
Carlton, 1075 Sutter	3.00-6.00
Cartwright, 524 Sutter	4.00-7.00
Casa Nova, 354 O'Farrell	2.50-5.00

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Will We Send God Or Guns?

By L. Howard Jenkins

President, Foreign Mission Board

In spite of the fact that men of all nations, including millions in Russia itself, want peace, we do not know if tomorrow will bring peace or war. Our sons are being taken, some for the second time in a short life time, and some are dying, with many others suffering beyond our power to comprehend.

This is being done in defense of freedom and for the things we hold dearer than life itself. Freedom is the thing men desire above all else; and they will fight and, if need be, give their lives to preserve this precious heritage. I believe this freedom will eventually be the lot of all men for it is an urge that

cannot be denied them.

As a Board dealing with foreign missions we could, with good excuse, be downcast because of the situation we face in China. But even there we have things that make our hearts glad. We have been cut off from that country, formerly our largest mission field. Our property, representing millions of dollars, has been seized by the enemy and all but four of our missionaries have left the country.

They did not leave because of fear. They remained until it became evident that their presence threatened the safety of the Chinese Christians whom they loved with a deathless devotion. All is not lost, for we know that Christ lives on in the hearts of thousands of the faithful who have professed Him as their Lord and Master.

Faithful Unto Death

I am convinced that some will elect to die rather than renounce their faith. So, do not let us be discouraged, for we have made an impression on that country that will endure through the ages. What has been wrought by our faithful missionaries cannot be erased by the edicts of evil men. God is in his Heaven and he still rules this universe, so I believe the doom of the evil crowd is coming in his time. That is as certain as the rising of tomorrow's sun.

I wonder how much of the tragic situation we face today is due to the (Continued on Page Five)

"Thank God For Southern Baptist Unity"—R. E. Milan

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (BP)—A far western leader has declared that differences between Baptists West and East are small. He is R. E. Milan, executive secretary for the Southern Baptists of Oregon and Washington. In a special release received here he said, "All the way from Oregon to Florida Baptists are Baptists. I have heard through the years whispers to the effect 'That there were vast differences in Baptists East and West.' I don't believe a word of it!

"The wonderful thing to me is that

the interest in western missions is just as strong in the East as in the West. Stronger, I would say, because they have come forward with concrete evidence of that interest of Baptists.

"I find that when the message of Baptist distinctives, of Baptist mission and destiny is rung out clear and strong Southern Baptist ministers and laymen, women and young people all give spontaneous and thrilling response.

"Thank God for Southern Baptist unity!"

HELP THE NEEDY SICK ON MOTHER'S DAY--MAY 13TH

MAXIMUM INSPIRATION

(Continued From Page One)

sembly will begin Monday afternoon, July 2, and will continue through Friday, July 6. Saturday morning breakfast will be the last meal. Brother Wilds has already secured a great array of talent from within the bounds of the state of Mississippi and also outstanding speakers and workers from outside our state.

July 9-14

The second Training Union Assembly will follow directly upon the heels of the first. Essentially the same program will be followed throughout the week with some different personalities appearing on the second program. You are urged to attend one or the other of these two assemblies. Write Mr. Auber J. Wilds for rates for these two weeks.

Who will have the largest church delegation at one of the two Training Union assemblies? Surely pastors and training union directors, as well as associational leaders will do well to plan for a good utilization of these two Training Union assemblies. They will be invaluable to the development of Training Union work in the church or association.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

Dr. E. C. Williams, State Sunday School Secretary, is enthusiastically promoting the Sunday School assembly which will be held July 16-21. The assembly will begin with supper on Monday the 16th and will close with the Saturday morning breakfast on July 21. Dr. W. Douglas Hudgins, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Jackson, Mississippi, will be the inspirational speaker during this week. Many other outstanding personalities have already accepted Dr. Williams invitation to be

with us during these great days.

Pastors and Sunday school workers are urged to consider the possibilities of investing time and talents in a great week like this. Our Sunday School work will grow in tremendous bounds as we develop our summer Sunday school assemblies. Who will have the largest church delegation attending this assembly? Write to Dr. E. C. Williams, Baptist Building, Jackson, Mississippi, for rates.

PASTORS AND LAYMEN'S ASSEMBLY

The Executive Secretary, Chester L. Quarles, M. J. Gilbert, Secretary of Rural Church Work, W. R. Roberts, State Brotherhood Secretary, are promoting a Pastors and Laymen's assembly. This is something "new under the sun." So far as we know there has never been promoted exactly this type assembly. Pastors and laymen are urged to attend this assembly which will begin with supper on Monday night, July 23, and will conclude with the noon meal Friday, July 27.

A great Bible Hour will be conducted during the assembly by Dr. E. N. Patterson of the New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary. Outstanding personalities such as Dr. Porter Routh, Southern Baptist Statistician, Dr. S. F. DOWIS and Rev. John Wells of the Home Mission Board, Dr. John Maguire, Executive Secretary of the Florida Baptist Convention, will have outstanding places on this week's program. Rev. Troy Prince, outstanding Mississippi pastor, will have charge of the recreational program.

The associational moderators and clerks will have their annual meeting in connection with this assembly. Dr. Porter Routh, Dr. John Maguire, and Dr. J. L. Boyd, of Mississippi College, will give special attention to this particular group.

**CONTINUED CRUSADE RESULTS
ASSOCIATIONAL CRUSADE RESULTS**

Association	Number of Churches	Church Revivals	Mission Revivals	Baptism	Letter	Other Additions	Total Additions	Revivals Unreported
Attala County	30	28	0	62	57	1	120	0
Choctaw County	25	17	0	51	27	0	78	0
Neshoba	24	16	0	56	26	0	82	4
Tallahatchie	19	10	0	78	57	1	136	0
Alcorn	24	22	?	56	32	1	89	0
Marion	21	20	0	95	50	1	146	0
Winston	26	26	0	64	21	3	88	0
Carroll	20	14	0	35	8	4	47	0

CHURCH CRUSADE RESULTS

Associations and Churches	Baptism	Letter	Total Additions
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Tallahatchie—

Brazil	3	3	6
Cascilla	2	4	6
Charleston	18	16	34
Corinth	1	0	1
Mt. Pisgah	3	1	4
Philip	4	9	13
Spring Hill	1	3	4
Sumner	21	5	26
Tippo	2	0	2
Tutwiler	17	12	29
Webb	6	5	11

Sharkey-Issaquena—

Anguilla	3	5	8
Cary	5	6	11
Catchings	0	0	0
Issaquena	5	4	9
Mayersville	0	0	0
Rolling Fork	36	8	44
Spanish Fort	6	0	6
Tallula	0	1	1
Valley Park	6	5	11

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THE FOLLOWING GIRLS HAVE

been elected officers of the Spanish Club at Blue Mountain College for the 1951-52 session: President, Barbara Birt, Greenwood; Vice-president, Melba Marion, Van Fleet; Secretary, Myrtis Moore, Belden; Treasurer, Polly Davis, Grenada; Program Chairmen, Mary Janice Morris, Macon; and Miriam Stacy, Tupelo; Social Chairmen, Edna Earl Elrod, Geraldine, Ala., and Martha Maer, Temuco, Chile; Pianist, Joyce McLaurin, Newton; Choister, Sally Shanks, Sumner; Yearbook Chairman, Doris Blankenship, Black Mountain, N. C.; Favors Chairman, Nancy Jo Wallis, Harrisburg, Illinois.

THE NORTHWEST MISSISSIPPI PASTORS' Conference will meet on May 8, rather than on May 4 as was previously announced.

Miriam Preston To Reign As May Queen

Shown above is Miss Miriam Preston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hall Preston, Nashville, Tenn. Miss Preston will be the May Queen at Blue Mountain's May Day Festival May 5.

During her four years at Blue Mountain, Miss Preston has taken an active part in the various organizations on the campus. She has served as president of the Baptist Student Union, prosecuting attorney on the Student Government Council, vice-president of the sophomore class, secretary of the junior class, groomsman in the Junior-Freshman Wedding, goddess for the Eunomian Society. Miss Preston has been on the honor roll consistently; was in the operetta her freshman, sophomore and junior years; and was elected to "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."

All associational missionaries are urged to attend with representative pastors from their associations. The budgetary item listed on the state mission budget as "preachers school" will be used during these assembly days. This will in deed and truth be a great "preachers' school."

Write Chester L. Quarles, Martin J. Gilbert, or W. R. Roberts for rates.

THE OPPORTUNITY

The opportunity of our assembly program is unlimited. We certainly trust that Mississippi Baptists will rally to the assembly program for this particular year, especially since we are beginning this new work in our state program. Other states of the Southern Baptist Convention have great assemblies—why cannot Mississippi Baptists have great assemblies? We can, if pastors and other leaders will deeply consider the possibilities of such weeks dedicated to God and used for His glory.

Come to Camp Garaywa this summer!!

BAPTIST STUDENT UNION

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POTPOURRI

We are sorry to lose Miss Emma Grace Ross, BSU Sec'y, for Pearl River Jr. College. Miss Ross is to marry Bill Moyle, of Charlotte, N. C., on June 1 in Pelahatchie, her home. We wish them God's best. . . Pastor W. T. Douglas, of Magnolia, reports 11 additions (7 by profession of faith) during their recent Youth Revival during the Simultaneous Crusade. Ernie and June Myers, Mel Craft, Mary Jane Nethery were the team. . . Some may not know that Louise Girling, recent grad of Miss. College, is Asst. Editor of the Baptist Student, is doing excellent job. . . Pastor Wilburn Smith, of First, Starkville, reports 65 additions, many more decisions, record Sunday School and Training Union attendances during recent revival. . . Two from E. Central Jr., one from MSCW, one from Ole Miss, one from Holmes Jr. are most recent Ridgecrest registrations making a total of 15 thus far with 147 to go to fill our quota. Registration (\$2 each) and bus (\$20 each) deadline is May 29 in this office. . . Our recent State Retreat for BSU Officers at Co-Lin Jr., Wesson, was to many the best we've ever had. Contributions of T. C. Clark, of Auburn; S. R. Woodson, Columbus; Alec Hopper, Miss. College; Exec. Sec'y Chester L. Quarles, and many others, including those directly affiliated with BSU, were outstanding. Retreat decided that Miss. BSUs should send Naemia Clifton, of Woman's College, to Hawaiian Islands; two students to California, several others for work among Choctaws and Negroes of Neshoba County, Miss., as our Summer Missionaries to do Vacation Bible School Work, and set \$1,500 as

amount needed for this purpose. Contributions gladly received any time and will be much appreciated. Total of Retreat offering, \$77.11; total in so far, \$109.11. GIVE!! . . . Retreat also voted that our Convention would meet at Miss. State November 2-4, will decide through Time and Place Committee appointed by President Frank Horton, when and where next year's Retreat will be held. E. Central Jr., MSCW, have tendered invitations. Registration at Retreat totaled 230-odd. . . "Christ for the Crisis" has been selected as the theme for the 1951 State BSU Conventions. . . First, 5th Ave., Main St. Churches, Hattiesburg, all have students definitely in mind in their current building programs. Bartis Harper is new BSU President for Miss. Southern; Wm. Hall Preston is banquet speaker; BSU Sec'y Riley Munday, helped in recent revivals at Indian Springs, McClarin Churches. . . Two joined the Poplarville Church from Pearl River Jr. where there are eight unsaved. Pastor John Maddox of Pica-yune was recent banquet speaker. . . Holmes Jr. reports a BSU budget; 60 at a recent social with Bill Ray and Alec Hopper, of Miss. College, as guests; 21 students taking study courses led by Pastor Robbins; college choir for evening church services; good attendances at Sunday School and Training Union. . . Four recently joined Clinton Church from Miss. College. . . At MSCW's recent banquet, 122 were present. One student recently joined Columbus Church. . . Three Miss. State students recently joined Starkville Church; \$279.57 was given by students during March;

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Gambrell's Advice

Recently Editor Gardner of the Baptist Standard (Texas) quoted a statement by Dr. J. B. Gambrell. We quote the same statement for two reasons: 1. Dr. Gambrell served well in Mississippi. 2. Even though dead, his words are often quoted and carry great weight.

Commenting on the statement of Dr. Gambrell, Editor Carpenter of the Biblical Recorder, (N. C.) says, "The statement of Dr. Gambrell was true then and it is true now, not only of the Baptist Standard, but also of the Biblical Recorder." We add one other name; it is also true of the Baptist Recorder.

Dr. Gambrell's statement reads as follows:

"We have no more important agency for all we are trying to do. In order to go, we must know. Enlightenment must precede enlistment. It should be the care of every pastor and missionary to see that the Baptist Standard is circulated for the good it can do."

Some Good Suggestions

We want to second some suggestions made by Editor John Jeter Hurt, Jr., in the Georgia Baptist paper, The Christian Index, in a recent issue.

He suggests, in the first place, that the closing session of the Woman's Missionary Union and the opening session of the Southern Baptist Convention be combined or coordinated. We are in agreement with this suggestion.

It would have greater appeal and probably reach more people. Many of the men do not go to the closing session of the W.M.U. Convention and many of the women do not go to the opening session of the Southern Baptist Convention. The above plan would help.

And as Editor Hurt says, the usual opening of the Convention is dry and lacking in spirituality. Those closing W.M.U. sessions are the opposite.

We also most heartily approve of Editor's Hurt's suggestion that the speeches of welcome and of response be eliminated. There are several reasons for this. First, it takes up precious time. The usual address of welcome is everything else but. We have heard addresses of welcome that discussed soul liberty, separation of church and state, and so forth and so on. Most of them have few if any words of

elcome.

The same thing is true of the response.

If we did not feel that we were welcome we would not have the Convention in that particular city. It is useless for somebody to take up much time telling us how glad he and they are to have us. If a man loves his wife he proves it by deeds and not running out on the street and telling every passerby that he does love her.

Inconsistent

According to Religious News Service:

Eliel Saarinen, world-famous Finnish architect, received a gold key to the new Christ Church Lutheran, which he designed, when it was dedicated here.

Lack of space prevents giving a full description of the church, but according to Religious News Service:

A baptistery in the church is sunk six inches, symbolic of the Biblical injunction "to go down into baptism." The baptismal font is a 30-inch silver bowl supported on eight ebony legs.

If the baptistery is sunk six inches, symbolic of the Biblical injunction "to go down into the baptistery," we wonder why they didn't follow the full Biblical injunction and provide for much water. In the Greek New Testament the word used for baptized means "in the water," not near it nor a few drops of it.

In the early days of the Christian church, immersion was the only mode. Even today in Florence, Italy, there is an ancient pool in a Catholic church which was formerly used for the immersion of people.

In other words if the above named church wants to obey the Biblical injunction, they should obey all of it and not part of it.

"Bring Forth Fruits Meet For Repentance"

The scriptures indicate that there is a difference between Christians and non-Christians. We are commanded, "Come out from among them and be ye separate." As indicated in the headline above as quoted from Matt. 3:8, we are told to "Bring forth therefore FRUITS meet for repentance."

In other words, let your wife

prove your faith. If you are a Christian, don't live like the world.

Concrete evidence of what we are trying to say is shown by the action of John C. Sox, owner of seven popular eating places in Columbia, South Carolina.

Mr. Sox was converted during the Billy Graham revival campaign in that city. On March 15, he inserted a full-page advertisement in THE STATE, the leading daily newspaper of the state. In that ad appeared the following statement:

"As a result of my recent conversion and on account of becoming a member of the Colonial Heights Baptist Church, it is my desire to transact my business through Christian principles. As of March 13 no beer will be sold at any of my eating places."

Evidently Mr. Sox means it when he sings, "I'll do what you want me to do, dear Lord."

Our Readers Write

SOME REAL NEWS FROM GREENVILLE

While home last weekend baptizing some candidates from the recent revival meeting at First Baptist Church, Greenville (which I do every month) I learned from our deacons there that they are ready and have been ready for two months to build the new auditorium, which would have begun had not the pastor been inducted into military service. We had been preaching to crowds of over 900 every Sunday for the past four years and it may interest some to know that plans for an auditorium to seat 1,500 has been in the minds of our people for a long time.

The spirit of the folk at First Church has been amazing to me during recent weeks when I could only be with them occasionally each month because of this major engagement with Uncle Sam, but I think that there will be some changes soon and the organization which had been making history during the years will be in full swing again.

It is my intention to be back in the Greenville pulpit on the 28th, when I am due to preach the annual baccalaureate sermon for the King's Daughter's Hospital nurses there. Have just concluded a gracious series of revival services for the Tabernacle Baptist Church in Columbia, S. C., but will be glad to be back in Greenville again with our people there.

ERNEST D. ELLIOTT, Lt.-Col.
Division Chaplain,
Dixie Division.

"Lord, Send a Revival

and let it begin in me." This was my prayer as I travelled to Mississippi for a revival with my long-time friend, Pastor Nolan Kennedy and the Clinton Church. The people had the meeting in

their hearts. They put first things first. The best preparation was made for this revival that I've ever seen.

A Busy Schedule

When I arrived in Clinton, April 14, the pastor told me of the plans. I was to speak three times to the High School where there were 850 enrolled. That school was the most orderly, with the best behaved students, that I have been in. Then at 10:35 each morning I was to speak in the Mississippi College Chapel to the 900 college students and faculty members. Evening services would be held in the church. Prayer meetings would precede each service.

God's Presence Felt at High School

Professor Crane, the High School principal, asked that I preach and give an invitation to his students. On Tuesday morning, after my brief message on "Unconditional Surrender," we saw 30 young people accept Christ in less than five minutes.

On Thursday morning 32 more High School boys and girls surrendered to Christ. In this day of blasé High Schoolers these wonderful experiences made memories that will last for a lifetime.

Complete Cooperation of College

President Nelson and his great faculty gave 100% cooperation and support. Students, faculty, and administration made the meeting their first consideration. Thank God for a school like Mississippi College. D. M. Nelson has made this a truly Christian College.

Pastor Kennedy has the admiration, cooperation and love of both townspeople and schools.

I feel that I can never be the same after last week's revival. I thank God for the privilege of going to Clinton, and for being able to work with Pastor Kennedy and his splendid church, with Dr. D. M. Nelson and the great Mississippi College, and with Professor Crane and the unusual Clinton High School.

I unhesitatingly state that I believe Clinton is the most important church in Mississippi from the standpoint of touching the future leadership of Mississippi and my experience down there certainly will be a long remembered one.

JOHN A. MAGUIRE
Executive Secretary
Florida Baptist Convention

ONE OF THE REASONS

Below is printed a letter which Rev. William G. Watson, Houston pastor, sent to each member of his church.

In all his pastorates, he has promoted and had success with the EVERY FAMILY Plan of the Baptist Record. The letter below is one of the reasons for his success.

"We have just completed the revision of our 'Baptist Record' list, and your name has been included. As you know, our church has adopted the 'Every Family Plan' whereby the church sends the 'Baptist Record' to all who want it at a cost to the church of only 8 1/3 cents per month per family.

"It is our hope that you will enjoy receiving the 'Baptist Record,' that you will read it carefully each week, and pass it on to others. You will find in the paper each week news of Baptist work in our state, in the South and around the world.

"If you are a Sunday School worker, a Training Union worker or W.M.U. worker you will find the 'Baptist Record' of valuable assistance to you in your work. Each week you will find news of our Home Mission and Foreign Mission Boards and from the various departments of our State Mission work. All of this will make us more informed Baptists and therefore more cooperative Baptists.

In addition, you will be interested each week in the reports from the churches of their Sunday School and Training Union attendance to see how we measure up in comparison to these other churches."

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND TRAINING
UNION ATTENDANCE

April 29, 1951

Jackson, First	1,389	491
Broadmoor Chapel	139	63
Van Winkle	478	287
Calvary	1,451	329
Calvary Mission	27	38
Southside	456	166
North Side	536	149
West Jackson	114	46
Crestwood	628	409
Pearl City (Rankin Co.)	82	69
Yazoo City, First	433	133
Brookhaven, First	973	432
Main School	744	258
Hamilton Chapel	102	82
Central Chapel	127	92
Bethel (Pearl River Ass'n)	147	112
Pleasant Ridge (Chickasaw Co.)	76	119
East Moss Point	195	88
Laurel, First	648	155
Meridian, 41st Ave.	351	111
New Albany, First	711	189
Bruce	302	77
Lucedale	365	155
Columbus, East End	245	120
First	1,062	488
Kosciusko, First	680	167
Winona, First	372	102
Corinth, Tate St.	373	109
Tupelo, Harrisburg	541	203
Batesville, Enon	89	56
Laurel, Second Ave.	408	106
Gulfport, First	823	242
Liberty, Bethel	80	82
McComb, South	226	73
Calhoun City, First	299	155
Morton, Springfield (Scott Co.)	124	
Sharon (Jones Co.)	111	120
Hattiesburg, Main St.	918	294
Laurel, West	474	135
Holly Springs (Lincoln)	59	73
Brookhaven, Fair River (Lincoln)	99	85
Moak's Creek (Lincoln Co.)	163	108
Sunflower	109	44
Clarksdale	740	185
Friendship (Lincoln Co.)	102	101
Pearlhaven (Lincoln)	182	96
Meridian, South Side	364	145
McComb, East	508	224
Louisville, First	466	161
Meridian, Fifteenth Ave.	500	99
Marion Road Chapel	54	28
Highland	510	162
Houston, Amity	98	104
Antioch (Neshoba Co.)	59	65
Forest Hill (Hinds Co.)	223	215
Bethlehem (Scott Co.)	147	106
Laurel, Highland	129	83
Crystal Springs, First	662	202
Cherry Creek (Pontotoc)	87	38
Grenada, First	807	101
Houston, First	243	107
Pascagoula, First	1,034	389
Main School	681	237
Eastlawn Mission	84	61
Unity Mission	120	51
McArthur Mission	33	
Jackson Ave. Mission	44	
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IN THE LAST ISSUE OF THE RECORD it was stated that Rev. R. T. Parker is the moderator and T. F. Stevens clerk of the Winston County Association. This is incorrect. Rev. James Fairchild is the moderator; Rev. Ervin Brown is the vice moderator; Rev. E. D. Estes is clerk; T. F. Stevens is treasurer; and Rev. N. G. Hickman is associational missionary.

DR. SUSAN B. RILEY, PROFESSOR of English and acting chairman of the English department, George Peabody College, Nashville, Tenn., was elected president of the American Association of University Women at the meeting of the association in Atlantic City, N. J., this month. Dr. Riley is a graduate of Blue Mountain College; B.S., M.A., Ph.D., George Peabody College. She also is president of the Peabody Alumni Association. Dr. Riley taught at Mississippi College before coming to Peabody College.

SIBLEY ACCEPTS CASH



REV. BERT N. SIBLEY

Rev. Bert Newman Sibley has accepted the full-time pastorate of the Cash Church in Scott County.

Born in Yazoo County in 1904 Mr. Sibley has served in the Navy 25 years. He surrendered to the ministry in 1948 and will graduate from Clarke College in June. He then plans to enter Mississippi College. Mr. Sibley is serving as Intermediate Sunday School superintendent in the Scott Association. Mrs. Sibley is the former Margaret Gary of Yazoo County.

The Cash Church adopted a building program in its business meeting on April 16.

CLASS OFFICERS ELECTED
AT BLUE MOUNTAIN

The sophomore, junior and senior classes for the session 1951-52 at Blue Mountain College have elected their officers as follows.

Sophomore Class: President, Nina Jean Oglesby, Jackson; Vice-President, Marianne Colvert, Little Rock, Ark.; Secretary, Patsy Price, Tyler, Texas; Treasurer, Ida Faye Todd, Brooksville; Student Government Representative, Lila Ann Wallace, Charleston; Sponsor, Miss Anne Hendricks, Blue Mountain.

Junior Class: President, Marilyn Clayton, Cockrum; Vice-President, Melna Sledge, Shaw; Secretary, Sara Jo Selby, Charleston; Treasurer, Frances Mae Boswell, Macon; Student Government Representative, Mary Janice Morris, Macon; Sponsor, Miss Jean Lowery, Blue Mountain.

Senior Class: President, Marian Hayes, Blytheville, Ark.; Vice-President, Jean Black, Oxford; Secretary, Martha Hugins, Oxford; Treasurer, Edna Earl Elrod, Geraldine, Ala.; Student Government Representative, Betty Hicks, Sledge; Sponsor, Mrs. W. C. Tyler, Blue Mountain.

CANTON FIRST DOES

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stove used for anything from popping corn to preparing complete banquets.

A new concrete shuffleboard has been constructed outside, and other games such as badminton are provided. Plans are underway for incorporating the hobby and craft program into the Youth Center.

Activities not centered around the Youth Center include a team in the City Soft-ball League, hikes, skating parties, weiner roasts, hay rides and Boy Scout work—coupled hand in hand with R.A.'s.

The Youth Director furnishes consultation service with smaller groups in their social planning and plans general activities such as annual banquets and parties for special events and holidays.

Currently the pastor is conducting an open forum during Youth Fellowship on dating, courtship and marriage.

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OPEN LETTER

To: MISSISSIPPI PASTORS AND PEOPLE

Sunday, May 13th is MOTHER'S DAY. We believe that there will be a great host of GOOD SAMARITANS who will on this day have a burning desire to in a very practical way touch the bodies and soils of literally thousands of helpless needy sick. This is an urgent plea to YOU, Pastor and people, to give as the Good Samaritan gave, in order that many broken and disease-ridden bodies may be healed.

Won't you, dear Pastor, from a heart burdened with something of the compassion of Jesus, seek to insure and make sure that your people have a part in this glorious ministry. REMEMBER—not one cent of the Mother's Day Offering goes for anything other than the care of the needy sick in His wonderful name.

Yours in Christ,

MISSISSIPPI BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Thousands of anxious helpless humanity will be counting on Mississippi Baptists on Mother's Day.

Thursday, May 3, 1961

WE SUGGEST FOR SUMMER BROTHERHOOD ACTIVITY....

Are you looking for something for your Brotherhood to do during the coming summer months? You are? Then may we suggest four possible activities for your consideration. Each suggested activity has much merit and if properly planned and promoted can do much to keep your Brotherhood from having a summer slump. The suggested activities are:

SPONSOR AN OUTDOOR RE-VIVAL. Such a meeting could be held in some un-churched section in or near your church or community. Understandably, this activity is to be projected with the approval of the church and under the direction of the pastor. No Brotherhood could promote a better activity during the summer months. Benefits are obvious.

HOLD A CAMPFIRE MEETING. Arrange for a suitable place to hold the meeting. Encourage every member of the Brotherhood to bring a lost friend as his guest. Plan a good period of fellowship, serve refreshments, and then climax the entire evening with a good evangelistic service around the campfire.

PLAN OUTDOOR TRIPS FOR BOYS. Brotherhood leaders could well look at possible activities among the boys of the church during the summer months. Camping or fishing trips, picnics, hikes, and excursions to nearby cities to visit zoos or attend baseball games are all in order.

CONDUCT AN OUTDOOR BROTHERHOOD MEETING. Officers should plan well for such a meeting. Set the date well in advance. Contact every man in the church and urge him to attend. Serve refreshments (a good barbecue or fish fry may be in order) then present a good well-planned, practical, and purposeful program to the men.

Church Brotherhood leaders are urged to sponsor something special during the summer months. The men of the church will respond worthily if the plans for

AT FRENCH CAMP, WHERE REV. C. F. Anglin is the pastor, Rev. Paul Boothe of Jackson, preached the last week of the Evangelistic Crusade. There were three additions by baptism.



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summer Brotherhood activity are practical, worthy, and well-planned.

NEWS...EVENTS...

Mississippi men, according to an announcement made by W. R. Roberts, state Brotherhood secretary, are to meet in their first summer assembly July 23-27. The meeting is to be held at Camp Garaywa, Mississippi encampment grounds located near Clinton. Program will feature periods of discussion on Brotherhood methods and activities a long with periods of recreation and inspiration, Robert's announcement revealed.

BROTHERHOOD DEPARTMENT

W. R. ROBERTS, Secretary

USE THE JOURNAL

Keep using the Journal. If any Brotherhood is not using this one piece of published material for our men, order today the copies you need from Baptist Brotherhood Commission, Commerce Title Building, Memphis 3, Tennessee. They will bill you for them or charge your church as you direct.

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IS HOUSE COUNCIL PRES.



MISS BETTY COOPER

Miss Betty Cooper, Clinton, has been elected president of the House Council of the Women's Dormitory and vice president of the Student Government Organization of the New Orleans Seminary.

Last year Miss Cooper was sent by the Mississippi Baptist Student Union to serve as a summer missionary in Hawaii. She graduated from Mississippi College in 1950.

Miss Cooper is preparing to become a foreign missionary, and expects to receive her Master of Religious Education degree from the New Orleans Seminary in 1952.

She is still affiliated with Mississippi College through her mother, Mrs. Silas B. Cooper, who is a hostess in Gunter Hall, and her brother, Silas, who is president of the Junior Class.

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STATE MUSIC LEADERS CONFERENCE TO BE HELD

On May 25 in the First Church, Jackson, Mississippi, the State Music Leaders Conference will be held. The program will open at 9:45 a. m. and close at 4:15 p. m.

All choir directors, song leaders, pianist, organist, and pastors are urged to attend. A splendid program is being arranged. Members of the faculty of Mississippi College and the Mississippi Woman's College will appear on the program. Dr. Chester L. Quarles will deliver the inspirational address.

Information and programs will be received through the mail in the next few days. Make your plans to attend.

WILL WE SEND GOD

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failure of the Christian forces of the world to give the gospel in sufficient force. If we had sent God to the nations instead of guns I am sure our world would be a happier place in which to live.

Thoughtful men of many faiths and races recognize that the nations of the world have failed to take God into account in the mad rush for power and material success.

On a recent visit to New York City I saw signs on many street corners and in the buildings of Radio Center showing the way to shelter to be used in the event of an atomic attack.

Shelters will provide a place to preserve your life temporarily. The message of salvation, if accepted, will give eternal life. Had we sent the message of salvation in the first place, these temporary shelters would not be needed in our day. In terms of money it would not have cost a tithe of what it is costing for arms.

A Heavy Responsibility

Southern Baptists cannot do it all, of course, but seven million of us have the heavy responsibility that goes with great wealth and numbers. We are doing more than formerly. We send out groups of young men and women nearly every month. These devoted men and women are offering their all. They are going as physicians carrying the only specific remedy for the ills that beset the world today. They will light other torches and by their example and words will lead men to walk the paths of Godliness instead of sin.

Men around the world are seeking a formula for world peace but the tragedy of it is that they ignore the only formula: the message given in the Sermon on the Mount. Southern Baptists have a holy task and may God never look upon us as a people who professed much and did little.

The message of the church is needed today. The church is a necessity, the most valuable thing we have. The story is told of a little white church that stood on a bluff overlooking the ocean. One day the little church was burned to the ground and the members were unde-

THE BAPTIST RECORD HAS RECEIVED a copy of the resolutions recently adopted by the Executive Committee of the Tishomingo Association expressing appreciation of the work of Rev. E. E. Neill, who resigned as associational missionary several weeks ago in order to accept the pastorate of Hinkle Creek Church in Alcorn County. The committee commended his work very highly. The committee was composed of W. H. Robinson, G. A. Hall and Claude Boothe.

WEST ELLISVILLE CHURCH EXPERIENCED a genuine revival during the last eight days of the Simultaneous Evangelistic Crusade. Warm-hearted gospel preaching by Pastor T. E. Fant of Harmony Church, near Laurel, worshipful singing under the direction of local workers, fine cooperation in Group Prayer services and personal work under the direction of Pastor John Hilbun brought many encouraging blessings to this new church. There were many rededications, 17 persons (counting a fine boy who joined the following Sunday) were received for baptism and seven by letter, and the church met the challenge for better plans with which to meet its opportunities and responsibilities.

—Bryan Simmons

cided about rebuilding. This indecision on the part of the church members brought a visit from those in charge of navigation for the Federal government. These men told the church officials that the church must be rebuilt, for the little white church with its white spire was on every navigation map in the world and had led men of many nations to a safe harbor. Without this sign post many might go to a watery grave.

So, the church of Christ has through the ages led men to safety and to eternal life. We shall continue this task in spite of difficulties and opposition. Instead of halting, let us accelerate. It is already too late for many who have not known Christ as Saviour because of our failure.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.—(RNS)—PLANS to increase the number of religious programs on the Voice of America were announced here by the State Department. At the same time, a panel of three Washington religious leaders was appointed to advise the State Department on the religious content of the government's information and educational programs abroad. Named to the panel were Dr. Edward Hughes Pruden, pastor of First Baptist Church here and president of the American Baptist Convention; the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Thomas J. McCarthy, director of the National Catholic Welfare Conference, Bureau of Information and Isaac Franck, director of the Jewish Community Council of Greater Washington.

THE BAPTIST RECORD APPRECIATES a nice list of subscriptions from Nicholson Church, Pearl River County. The list was sent by Mrs. H. L. Lee.

THE FOLLOWING GIRLS HAVE been elected officers for the Home Economics Club at Blue Mountain College to serve during the 1951-52 session. President, Jean Black, Oxford; Vice-president, Peggy Gill, Hayti, Mo.; Secretary and Treasurer, Bobbye Ann Channel, Gallman; Reporter, Edna Earl Elrod, Geraldine, Ala.; Program Chairmen, Clara Sue Haggard, Waynesboro, Tenn., and Nadyne Stevens, Pine Bluff, Arkansas.

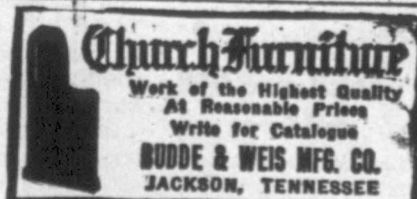
WAKE UP OR BLOW UP (\$2.00) presents views on meeting the world's crisis of today peacefully and effectively. Frank C. Laubach, the author, calls this book a Christian Plan for world peace. Order from the Fleming H. Revell Company, New York 10, or from the Baptist Book Store.

MRS. J. C. McLEOD, FORMERLY Wilma Albritton, will again be available for full-time church music work on May 30. Her address is P. O. Box 1504, Pascagoula, Mississippi. She is now music director of the Eastlawn Church in Pascagoula. She has also served as educational director of the First Church, Richton.

CHURCH OFFICERS AT WORK (75c) has been written by Glenn H. Asquith and published by the Judson Press, 1703 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia 3, Pa. Although written for Northern Baptists, it is a helpful book presenting many ideas that all of us could well use. Its chapter titles include: The Basis of the Work; The Work of Committees, of Deacons and Clerk, of Financial Officers, of Church School Officers, and of the Board of Christian Education. Their program is very similar to ours and the readers may find some new ideas worth adopting. Order from the publisher or the Baptist Book Store.

DR. A. J. GORDON, PASTOR OF THE Clarendon Street Baptist Church, Boston, dreamed one day that Christ came to church. The dream put him to thinking and he realized that the Holy Spirit is the abiding presence of Christ in the church. Facing this fact transformed his ministry and inspired his book which has been reprinted this year by the Judson Press, entitled **HOW CHRIST CAME TO CHURCH (\$1.50)**. Orders should be sent to the publisher at 1703 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa., or the Baptist Book Store.

REV. J. F. STANFORD HAS RE- signed the Artesia Baptist Church and accepted the Elton and Concord churches in Noxubee County.



YOUTH WEEK WAS OBSERVED

April 8-15 at Pearlhaven Church, Brookhaven, and the following Young People served as officers of the church and its organizations: Danny Peavey, Youth pastor; Clovis McKissack, Sunday School supt.; Goat Hoff, Training Union director; Aubrey Price, Brotherhood pres.; Mrs. J. L. Francis, W.M.U. pres.; Clifton Reed, chairman of the Deacons; Maurice Smith, choir leader; Faye Griffin, pianist; Peggy Peavey, church clerk; Bobby Montgomery and Willard Price, treasurers; Mary Blades, Intermediate G.A. leader; Pat May, Junior G.A. leader; Betty June Smith, Y.W.A. leader; Jean Kaiser and Hilda Burt, Sunbeam leaders. The following served in various offices of the church: Ralph Nevels, Paul Case, Clifford Porter, Billy Montgomery, Billy Justice, Boyce Bullock, Richard Price, Victor Day, Bobby Joe Roberts, Dan Day, Tommy Gartman, Royce Bullock, Nannie Mae Jackson, Willie Jean Thompson, Gloria Jean Crow, Maye Griffin, Hilda Rae Coon, Betty Lynn Summers, Billie Faye King, Mrs. Wayne Williams, Mrs. Carolyn Lee, Mary Louise Jordan, Carol Ann Nevels, Yvonne Smith, Opal Burt, Agnes Boyte, Philip Ray Price, Tera Lee Foster, Peggy Coglan, Wanda Lee Crow, June Justice, James Alfred, Barbara Burt, Geraldine Hutson, Mickey Watts, Elise Faye Day, Shirley Lee, Doris Nevels, Merlin Porter, Charlien Bracey, Virginia Ratcliff, Betty Jean Smith, Virginia Russell, Billie Raye Prather, Shirley Roberts. Rev. Paul Z. Ball is the pastor.

PHENOMENAL GROWTH OF PRO-

testant Sunday Schools in Latin America is indicated by statistics recently made public through the World Council of Christian Education. Since 1936, the last day for which statistics had been available, the Protestant Sunday School enrolment of South America has increased from 287,558 to 704,558 or 145%, while in the Central American and Mexican area, the increase has been from 78,662 to 295,784 or 267%. Leaders point out that the prevailing pattern of growth was: first, a class of smaller children in a mission of a local Protestant church; then a full-fledged Sunday school; then a 'mission church'; finally, an independent, self-supporting church—with mission Sunday schools of its own.

JULIUS R. HICKERSON, MISSION- ary to Colombia, died in an airplane crash near Cartagena, Colombia, on March 21. He was to have become the first president of the new seminary at Cali.

REV. AND MRS. LONNIE ADOLPHUS Doyle, Jr., Southern Baptist missionaries to Brazil, announce the birth of David Neal on April 7 in Belem, Brazil. Mr. Doyle is a native of Clinton, Miss.

THE BAPTIST RECORD APPRECI- ates a nice list of new subscriptions from Big Ridge Church, Gulf Coast Association. This was sent by Mrs. L. C. Barnett.

REV. SILAS JOHNSON, NOXAPATER pastor, has had several years experience as an evangelistic singer. Mr. Johnson is available for a few meetings and may be contacted at Noxapater. Mrs. Johnson is also available as a pianist.

STAFF MEMBERS FOR THE MOUN- tain Breeze, student literary publication of Blue Mountain College, have been lected as follows for the 1951-52 session: Editor, Meiba Marion, Van Fleet; Business Manager, Melna Sledge, Shaw; Associate Editor, Mary Martha McClain, Quincy, Fla.; Poetry, Jacqueline Montgomery, Pickens, and Sarah Grace Cox, New Albany; Prose, Joyce Pugh, Red Bay, Ala., and Myrtis Moore, Belden; Book Editor, Jeane Duncan, Griffin, Ga.; Music Editor, Creely Neal Myatt, Houston; Exchange Editor, Jeanette Collier, Kewanee; Manuscripts, Willie Jean Bryant, Pontotoc, Martha Huggins, Oxford, and Martha Francis Davis, Houlika.

Midway To Have Open House May 8

Midway Church, Jackson, will have Open House on May 6 at 3 o'clock, at which time dedication services will be held for the new pews and furniture which have been added to the building.

A new piano has been given by a man and his wife and a beautiful painting for the new baptistry has been donated by Deacon E. R. Tullos and his family.

During the past 18 months under the leadership of Pastor Ira F. Metts, there have been 117 additions to the church, and many improvements to the physical plant as well. During the Crusade revival 17 were added to the church, eight by baptism and one dedicated his life to full-time service.

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J. A. FAUST IS ORDAINED

Rev. J. A. Faust was ordained on April 22, by the Hickory Church.

Rev. C. O. Estes of Canton, under whose ministry Mr. Faust was converted, preached the ordination sermon. L. R. Robins, chairman of the deacons, presented the Bible. Gale Cooper of Canton led the prayer and Mr. Brooks, a Clarke College student, gave the charge.

Rev. L. A. Curtis is the pastor. The Hickory Church has broken the ground for an educational building.

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C. L. BRYANT BEGINS KOKOMO PASTORATE

Rev. Charlie L. Bryant has accepted the call of the Kokomo Church and began his pastorate on April 8.

When he and his wife arrived on the field, they were made welcome by a shower given by members of the church.

Mr. Bryant studied at the Jackson Law School and Clarke College. He will also serve the pastorate at Dublin in Jeff Davis County and Shiloh in Marion County, in connection with his work at Kokomo.

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REV. J. P. CULPEPPER

REV. VALLEY G. PATTERSON

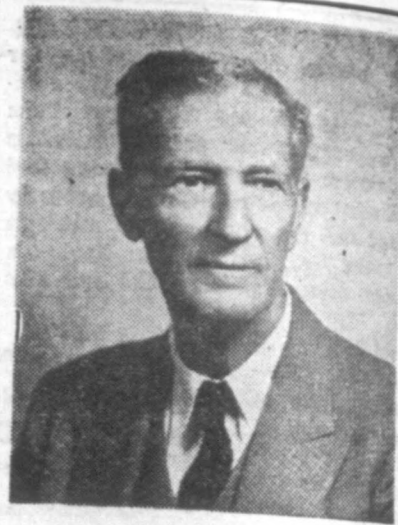
WHEREAS a wise and loving God has seen fit to call from our midst our beloved brothers, Dr. J. P. Culpepper, Sr., and Rev. Valley G. Patterson, to their heavenly reward, and

WHEREAS they served lovingly and fruitfully for many years in our association;

THEREFORE, be it resolved that the pastors of the Pearl River Baptist Association express their heart-felt sympathy to the loved ones of these whose memory is cherished by them with the highest esteem. BLAINE H. GROSS, Secretary, Pastors' Conference of the Pearl River Baptist Association.

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DR. RAY SUMMERS, HEAD OF THE department of New Testament interpretation at Southwestern Seminary, has written a volume on the interpretation of Revelation entitled "WORTHY IS THE LAMB." Written as a seminary textbook, the volume will be helpful to preachers and Sunday School teachers alike. Published by the Broadman Press, it should be ordered from the Baptist Book Store. Price, \$2.75.



MOSES N. MCCOY

Poplarville Church lost an outstanding deacon when Moses N. McCoy, 81, passed away on April 7, 1951.

His pastor, Dr. Judson Chastain, directed the funeral services, assisted by Rev. F. W. Gunn and the local Methodist pastor, Rev. R. L. Walton. Burial was in the Poplarville cemetery.

Mr. McCoy was born at Shubuta. Fifty-seven years ago he was married to the former Miss Mary Elia Caver, and they have made their home in Poplarville since that date. Mr. McCoy owned and operated a number of mercantile establishments at Poplarville. At the time of his death he was owner and operator of McCoy's Shoe Store in Poplarville.

His friendly manner, kind word for everyone, and willingness to help people brought him the respect and love of all who knew him. He was devoted to his family, and an active worker in his church, where he served in various capacities, singing in the choir, Sunday School teacher, Adult Dept. superintendent, S. S. Supt., and as chairman of deacons.

He served several terms as a member of Pearl River College Board of Trustees and also served his town as a member of the Board of Aldermen.

Besides his wife, Mr. McCoy leaves two children, Mrs. Pearl Musgrave, Washington, D. C., and Max McCoy, Helena, Ark.; two brothers, Ernest E. McCoy of New Augusta, and Fitzhugh McCoy, Lake; and two sisters, Miss Clemmie McCoy, New Augusta, and Mrs. Gertrude George, of Bagolusa, La.

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RIVER AVENUE CHURCH, HATTIES- burg, Rev. Garland McInnis, pastor, has set aside Mothers' Day as Home-Coming Day for former members of the church, Rev. E. M. Bilbo, former pastor, and Rev. Wallace Harrell, Pascagoula, former charter member, have been invited to conduct the services.

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PAUL D. BOOTHE, Associate

THE LAST CALL

This is the call for the last week of district Sunday school conferences. We have had three great weeks of these, and we are very eager for this last week to be the best of all. So, come and be with us.

Here are the dates, meeting places, and counties for next week's schedule, as follows:

Monday, May 7, PINE GROVE, (in Lauderdale County, off Highway 19)—Lauderdale, Newton, Neshoba and Kemper counties.

Tuesday, May 8, MANTEE—Clay, Calhoun, Chickasaw and Webster counties.

Wednesday, May 9, TUPELO, HARRISBURG CHURCH—Lee Itawamba, Monroe and Pontotoc counties.

Thursday, May 10, RIENZI—Alcorn, Prentiss, Tippah and Tishomingo counties.

Friday, May 11, COLUMBUS, FIRST CHURCH—Lowndes, Noxubee and Oktibbeha counties.

MEET THE LEADERS

March 31 closed the first half of this Sunday school year that began last October 1. It has been a great six months in our Sunday school work. It has been interesting to check up on the total number of Sunday school trainees in awards during this six-month period. We are giving below the ten leading churches and also the ten leading associations in total awards for this period, as follows:

CHURCHES—Pascagoula First, 681; Jackson Parkway, 361; Jackson Calvary, 349; East McComb, 310; McComb First, 270; Tupelo Calvary, 253; Jackson First, 173; Columbus First, 170; Newton, 133; Hattiesburg Main Street, 127.

ASSOCIATIONS—Hinds, 1,279; Jackson, 987; Pike, 715; Scott, 548; Simpson, 545; Jones, 439; Winston, 389; Bolivar, 376; Lauderdale, 371; Attala, 354.

We are grateful to all who have had a part in this splendid record of helping to train the people for greater service.

We never lose time or effort when we train for efficiency. Let's make the second half of this year far greater in all good points than the first half has been. There's so much to be done yet.

MARCH WAS GREAT MONTH

To show how widely distributed the training work was in March, it is only necessary to remind ourselves that 55 of the 73 associations in the state reported Sunday school training during March.

That is very fine and we are so grateful for this good record.

ONLY FIVE OUT NOW

Only five associations in the state have not reported any Sunday school training awards during this Sunday school year, through March 31.

These five are: Clay, Franklin, Kemper, Monroe and Tate.

We are sure these will soon come in and make it 100% again for the state in this important part of a good school program.

MAKE MAY MEANINGFUL

The Home and the Bible are the special emphasis for the month of May. What a meaningful combination! The Home and the Bible!

Our Sunday school leaders can help make May more meaningful by plan-

ning definitely for it in their programs. The May issue of the Sunday School Builder is great in helpful suggestions and inspiring articles.

Be sure and observe Christian Home Week, May 6-13.

This is an urgent appeal to all pastors and Sunday school superintendents and other church workers to see to it that the Sunday school does not let anything interfere with there being a Vacation Bible school this summer. This appeal grows directly out of conditions that neither the Sunday School Board nor the state conventions nor the churches can control: namely, (1) the holding of the Southern Baptist Convention in San Francisco the third week of June, and (2) the holding of four weeks of Sunday school conferences at Ridgecrest during June.

Even though pastors and other workers may have to be at some of these meetings, make plans for the school, set the date, procure the workers, and have the school. Too much is at stake for any church anywhere to fail to have its school because of whatever complications these conflicts may bring about.

J. N. BARNETTE, Secretary,
The Sunday School Dept.
HOMER L. GRICE, Secretary,
Vacation Bible School Division
E. C. WILLIAMS, Secretary,
Mississippi Sunday School

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REV. J. M. MAJOR

Rev. J. M. Majors has accepted the pastorate of Mountain Creek Church, Rankin County. He also serves the Palestine Church in Hinds County as pastor. Mr. Majors is a student at Mississippi College and was ordained by the Byram Church, near Jackson.

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AMITY MAKES PROGRESS

Under the leadership of Rev. W. H. Haynes, the Amity Church in Chickasaw County is promoting a half-time program and weekly prayer services. The Sunday school enrollment is 91.

A Training Union has recently been organized with 99 enrolled.

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ANOTHER CHURCH THAT HELPED the Baptist Record along over the 69,000 mark was Quentin in Franklin County. A nice list of new and renewal subscriptions was sent by the treasurer, H. R. Malory.

NOT ONLY DID HARMONY CHURCH, Copiah County, send in a nice list of renewals but they included some new names.

Forest Pastor Is Called As Chaplain



REV. N. F. DAVIS, JR.

Rev. N. F. Davis, Jr., pastor of the Forest Church, has been called into active service as a Chaplain in the Army.

He will report May 3 to the 969th Engineer Construction Battalion, Camp Rucker, Alabama.

Sunday night, April 8, Mr. Davis tendered his resignation as pastor of the church. He has been serving as pastor in Forest for the past 21 months. Prior to his coming to Forest he was at Summit. Mr. Davis served as a Chaplain in World War II and remained in the reserve.

The church has made great gains under the leadership of Mr. Davis. There have been 188 additions, 58 for baptism. The Adult Department in Sunday School has been graded. The goal set for April 1 during the recent Crusade was 400. Attendance on that day was 423.

The Training Union has been especially emphasized, and now has three Adult Unions, two Intermediate, two Junior and a Beginner and Primary Story Hour.

The budget has increased from \$11,000 to \$24,544. Of this amount, \$16,544 is operation and \$8,000 for capital expenses. Associational Missions and BSU work at East Central Junior College has been included in the budget. The amount given to Cooperative Missions has been raised \$900. In addition to the budget, two special drives have been made with \$7,500 being donated for new pews and \$7,800 for stained glass windows.

A \$14,000 three-bedroom, two-bath parsonage has been constructed and dedicated debt-free.

On October 16, 1949, the members marched from the old church into their new church constructed several blocks away and furnished with new furniture, which was donated as an over and above gift to the church.

Mr. Davis also served as associational moderator.

HEAR THE BAPTIST HOUR

Rev. Charles Wellborn will be the regular speaker on the Baptist Hour program on May 6.

The following stations in Mississippi carry the Baptist Hour program:

WJMB, Brookhaven, 1:30 PM; WACR, Columbus, 2:30 PM; WJPR, Greenville, 6:00 PM; WSLI, Jackson, 1:30 PM; WMBC, Macon, 2:30 PM; WAPF, McComb, 7:30 AM; WCOB, Mediran, 2:30 PM; WROB, West Point, 2:00 PM. WROB, West Point, 2:00 PM.

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MRS. EARNIE MAE PIPKIN WALLEY WHEREAS, God in His infinite wisdom did on April 6, 1951, call our sister from our midst, from her husband and two children, from her parents, from her neighbors, from her church, from her work on this earth to that Glorious Rest beyond the River;

WHEREAS, the home will miss her beautiful life, the community will miss her Christian work and visits, the Pine Level Church will greatly miss her faithful services and much-felt influences for good;

WHEREAS, her place in the community services, the loving work, influence, devotion and faithfulness cannot be filled;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

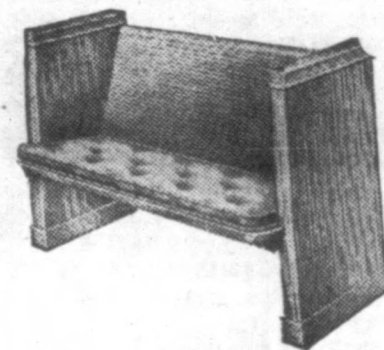
FIRST, that we bow our wills and lives to the acts and works of God in taking Sister Earnie Mae from this world;

SECOND, that we be submissive and willing to let our Lord have His way in calling our loved-one from our midst in the early age of her life;

THIRD, though we cannot understand why she was taken, yet help us to say: "Thy will be done, oh Lord, we will understand";

FOURTH, that we extend our sincere sympathies, our earnest prayer, and our timely assistance to all those who have been bereft by the sudden death of our dear member, wife, mother and loved-one.

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Our mission Study emphasis for next quarter beginning July 1st is on Stewardship. The book is "Partnership With Christ" by Conrad. Our State Stewardship Chairman, Mrs. J. T. Lyons, has prepared the aims and outline for the study of this book found in the following paragraph. —Mrs. N. A. Edmonds, State Mission Study Chairman.

OUTLINE FOR STUDY

"Partnership With Christ"—Conrad

The AIM of the book is to help us see stewardship in its fullest sense. It has to do with the every day affairs of life. At this point I feel we should keep in mind that we of the W.M.U. Stewardship Committee have been entrusted with the promotion of one part of the all inclusive stewardship of life—the giving of tithes and offerings for the spread of the Gospel. In fact, our W.M.U. fundamentals and plan of work include all areas of our lives and from which we as Christians are expected to render a stewardship accounting.

The TEACHER—

One who can teach with her life as well as with her skill. Work with Mission Study chairman to secure the best teacher—time and plan for local society an all day study—week by week—or through the circles. All are good but decide now which your society shall use.

A teacher should prepare herself by careful Bible Study on the subject of Stewardship. A good concordance will help discover many "new" fresh Bible verses on the Stewardship of time, money, talent, possessions, etc. Vary methods of teaching—lecture, assignments, questions, discussions.

The Desired Result from the study of this book should lead to rededication and more devoted service to our Lord, Jesus Christ.

CHAPTER I—Verse to learn: 1 Chronicles 29:12. Read together Romans 8:14, 16-17. Select striking sentences for discussion and review. Assign topics at end of chapter as a basis of class discussion.

CHAPTER II—Verse to learn: Luke 12:48. Develop main thought of chapter—that is our part in this partnership with Christ. Discuss this acrostic on stewardship:

S ervice Rom. 12:11
T alent 1 Peter 4:10
E nergy John 17:4
W ealth Prov. 13:11
A bility 1 Peter 4:11
R ighteousness Phil. 1:10-11
D ays Psalms 90:12
S elf 2 Cor. 8:5
H umility Acts 20:19
I nfluence Rom. 14:7-8
P artners Luke 5:7

CHAPTER III—Verse to learn: Matt. 6:19-21. "The Keynote"; "Exceeding the Law" and "How to Obtain Spiritual Power" are paragraphs for emphasis in this chapter.

CHAPTER IV—Verse to learn: Chron. 29:3. Note especially the key sentence "If we should seek to be Christlike, etc."—page 12, first paragraph.

As an outgrowth of the study of this chapter the women might be led to rededicate themselves to a more regular time of worship—family altars—prayer partners. See sentences beginning "Worship which is"—on page 36, last paragraph.

CHAPTER V—Verse to learn: 2 Cor. 8:5. Note especially sentence "We suspect that today"—page 45. Project:

Visitation planned to shut-ins, sick, unenlisted, etc. Enlistment is an important phase of stewardship.

CHAPTER VI—Read together 1 Cor. 6:19-20; Rom. 12:1. Note sentences (discuss): "The consciousness, etc." (page 48); "By keeping fine health, etc." (page 50); "A person's right, etc." (page 51).

CHAPTER VII—Verse to learn: Ecclesiastes 3:1. Song to sing: "Take Time to be Holy"; Pupil assignment: Read Ecclesiastes 3 at home—notice importance of time budget. Make a time budget for yourself. See page 57.

CHAPTER VIII—Verse to learn: Amos 8:4-8 (a gem!). Matt. 16:26. Points of emphasis, page 61. Four principles of acquisition.

CHAPTER IX—Verses to learn: 1 Cor. 16:2; 1 Cor. 4:2. Point of emphasis—tithing—Cooperative Program. Testimonies: Why I am a Tither.

CHAPTER X—Verses to learn: Matt. 28:19-20. Discuss "Let a man examine himself" (page 86). Sing: "O Zion Haste." Close with sentence prayers that we may by faithful partnership take the whole gospel of Christ Jesus to the lost world.

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GLIMPSES OF GARAYWA MEET CAMP'S OTHER LIFEGUARD FOR SUMMER



JIMMY WARE

We are happy to present JIMMY WARE, Tupelo, Miss., who will serve as one of camp's two lifeguards this summer. Born in Shanghai, China, of Southern Baptist Missionary parents, Jimmy spent the early years of his life in China. At present he is a ministerial student at Baylor University, Waco, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ware, Jimmy's parents, are now serving as Southern Baptist missionaries in the Hawaiian Islands.

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SUNDAY, APRIL 29th, WAS THE first "Building Fund Day" in 1961 for the Houston Church. The goal for the day was \$750. Gifts at the close of the day amounted to \$1,501. This brings the total amount in the Building Fund to \$8,773.

ZION HILL BAPTIST CHURCH, HATTIESBURG, will observe its 50th anniversary on July 1 with Homecoming Day. Rev. Chester L. Quarles is to speak at the morning service. A picnic meal will be served. Rev. C. C. Bryan will speak at the 2:00 p.m. service, the first service of the Summer revival, in which he will be the guest evangelist. Rev. Loyd Shelton begins his fourth year as pastor of the Zion Hill Church on that day.

SOUTHERN SEMINARY

(Continued From Page One)

program will be: Dr. Edward A. McDowell, Jr., Dr. Jesse B. Weatherspoon, Dr. Dobbins, Dr. Theron D. Price, Dr. Clyde T. Francisco, Dr. V. L. Stanfield, Dr. Wayne E. Oates, and Dr. Dale Moody.

Meals will be provided in the Seminary dining hall, at cost. Rooms and apartments are available as follows: 35 apartments in Fuller Hall, furnished, with accommodations for husband, wife, and one or two children, at \$20 for the conference period; 110 furnished rooms for couples only, \$10; 50 single rooms, for men only, \$8; 50 double rooms, two men to a room, \$6.

Registration, in advance, \$5 for both weeks, \$3 for one week, no fee required for wives. Reservations should be sent to T. R. Allen, Jr., Southern Seminary.

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HOTELS FILLING UP

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Clark, 217 Eddy	3.00-4.00
Colonial, 650 Bush	3.50-6.00
Columbia, 411 O'Farrell	3.00-5.00
Commodore, 825 Sutter	4.00-8.50
Cordova, 521 Post	3.50-5.00
Court, 555 Bush	3.00-6.00
Crane, 245 Powell	3.25-8.00
Crest, Ellis at Mason	3.00-6.00
Devonshire, 235 Stockton	4.00-6.00
Empire, 940 Sutter	3.00-7.00
Essex, 684 Ellis	3.00-6.00
Federal, 1087 Market	3.00-5.00
Garland, 505 O'Farrell	2.00-5.00
Gaylord, 620 Jones	3.50-7.00
Geary, 610 Geary	2.50-4.50
Golden State, 114 Powell	3.00-6.00
Hacienda, 580 O'Farrell	2.75-4.50
Harcourt, 1105 Larkin	3.00-5.00
Harvard, 685 Ellis	2.50-4.00
Herald, 308 Eddy	3.50-5.00
Herbert, 161 Powell	3.50-6.00
Huntington, 1075 California	5.00-15.00
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Lankershim, 53 Fifth St.	2.50-5.00
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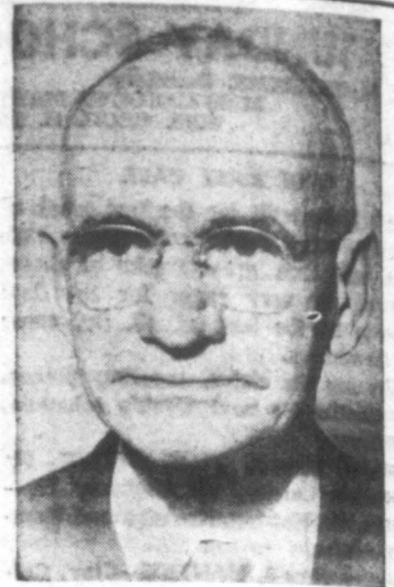
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Keep this list for future reference. It will not be printed again.



REV. JOHN F. BROCK

RESOLUTION OF RESPECT

Whereas, God in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to call from his earthly labors, our beloved brother, and pastor, the Rev. John F. Brock, and

Whereas, his going is a distinct loss to this church, and community, and

Whereas, Brother Brock was for more than 28 years pastor of our church, and

Whereas he was a most zealous pastor and leader, giving freely of his time and talents to ministering to the needs of the people of this community; Therefore, be it resolved that in the going of Brother Brock, the First Baptist Church of Moss Point has suffered the loss of a most consecrated pastor and leader, and

Be it further resolved that the community has lost a most valued civic leader, and that the Baptist denomination has lost one of its staunchest supporters.

Be it further resolved that the memory of Brother Brock will always be bright within our hearts, and

As a token of esteem from his church members and as an assurance of heart felt sympathy for his loved ones, that these resolutions are hereby adopted by the First Baptist Church of Moss Point, in conference assembled, and

Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of this church, a copy be sent to his family, and a copy be published in the Baptist Record.

Respectively submitted,
N. C. EVERETT
MRS. R. C. ELY
MRS. BERTHA RAPE
Committee

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BLUE MOUNTAIN, MISS. APRIL 25— The permanent class officers for the senior class at Blue Mountain College have been elected as follows: President, Hilda Lackey, Calhoun City; Vice-President, Rebecca Tune, Tupelo; Secretary, Betty Sue Dixon, Memphis, Tenn.; Historian, Miriam Preston, Nashville, Tenn.

IN THE TWO WEEKS PRECEDING the Crusade revival at Zion Hill, Lebanon Association, 16 came into the church on profession of faith. During the two weeks meeting, 14 were added, nine on profession of faith, and there were 10 rededications. In the morning services held at the Sunrise School during the second week, there 18 professions of faith by people who did not unite with the local church. On high attendance day 227 at church. Sunday School and 242, Training Union. Rev. Robert Slack, Jr., was the evangelist for the first week, and Rev. J. H. Cothen, Sr., the second week. The first week was Youth Week with the young people of the church filling all the offices. Charles M. Dunagin was Youth Week pastor. Rev. Loyd Shelton is the pastor of the church.

HOME MISSION ADVANCE

By JOHN CAYLOR

Advancement in home missions is made by replacements as well as by new appointments to missionary service. A number of eminent missionaries during recent weeks have reached the age of retirement and have been replaced by the transfer of other missionaries to new fields and the promotion of others to greater responsibility.

Upon the retirement of Dr. J. B. Rounds, as superintendent of Indian missions, the Board has named Dr. B. Frank Belvin as general field worker among the Indians. Dr. Belvin has moved from Okmulgee to Oklahoma City where he will have his headquarters in the Indian Center Building. Himself half Choctaw, he is the first Indian to be given the high responsibility which devolves upon him as leader in that field.

Dr. Belvin is a graduate of Bacone College and holds the doctor's degree from seminary. He is a young man of impressive experience, having taught in Bacone College and for three years having served as a missionary of the Home Mission Board.

Other Replacements

Due to the resignation of Rev. Clovis A. Brantley to become pastor of Valence Baptist Church in New Orleans, Rev. Charlie Brumbelee has been named as acting superintendent of the Rescue Home, and Mrs. Allegra LaPrairie, as acting superintendent of the Woman's Emergency Home in New Orleans.

Rev. L. D. Wood has taken over the work as superintendent of Spanish-speaking work in San Antonio, Texas, under the new arrangement by which Texas Baptists and the Home Mission Board co-operate in the Spanish-speaking work in that state.

New Appointments

Rev. and Mrs. George Hook of Raytown, Missouri, have been appointed as missionaries to the Indians in Farmington, New Mexico. Mrs. Melvina Roberts has been transferred from Farmington to Tinian, New Mexico.

Rev. Elias Rodriguez has been appointed missionary-pastor at Mission, Texas, and Rev. and Mrs. Sam Morris have been named student missionaries at Ada, Oklahoma. Miss Ella Keller has been appointed to the River Front Missions in New Orleans.

Among The French

Rev. Cecil Webb has been named missionary to Cloutierville, Louisiana. This French city has been an object of great concern to Dr. L. C. Smith, Louisiana French missionary, for many years. New work is expected to develop rapidly in that field.

W. Y. Pond to Canal Zone

Rev. and Mrs. W. Y. Pond, Jr., were elected missionaries to the Canal Zone at the April meeting of the Home Mission Board. Brother Pond is the son of Dr. W. Y. Pond, Texas evangelist. The young missionaries will serve in the Cocoli Church. Mr. Pond went to the Cocoli Church in the Canal Zone for a revival meeting and felt the call of the Lord to respond to missionary service in that field.

Missions Among the Migrants

The Home Mission Board has elected Rev. and Mrs. James J. Horton of Golden Gate Seminary as missionaries to the migrants in the West. Brother Horton is graduating this year from the seminary and Mrs. Horton has had nurses training and is a musician. This well-equipped team of migrant missionaries will enter upon service immediately after the close of the seminary year. Migrant missionaries have been appointed for summer work to serve un-

der the direction of Rev. Sam Mayo. Rev. and Mrs. James R. Harris, of Washington, Georgia, who have their own car and trailer, will enter upon their service in June, but will return to Louisville for another year's study at the seminary.

Good Will Center Property

The Board has made provision to buy adequate property in Miami for Good Will Center work. A church building adjoining the present property is being purchased for the enlargement of the work. Mrs. Minnell Graves is superintendent of the Miami Good Will Center.

Building in Juneau, Alaska

The \$25,000 earmarked for building in Juneau, Alaska, has been made available to the church for the construction of its building. It is expected that

FAMILY WEEK PROGRAM TO BE BROADCAST MAY 12

CHICAGO—National Family Week will be featured in a public service radio network program by the National Broadcasting Company on Saturday, May 12, from 1:15 to 1:30 p.m.

"The Plus in Family Living" will be the subject of a panel discussion. Participants, all of Chicago, will be Dr. Harry H. Kalas, director of educational evangelism, National Council of Churches; Dr. Frank Nickless, professor at McCormick Theological Seminary; Mrs. Ralph Marcus, homemaker and director of nursery, Sinai Temple; and Mrs. Dennis Savage, homemaker.

the new church will be built this summer.

CHANGES AMONG THE CHURCHES

By REV. LEON V. YOUNG
Clinton

Called and Accepted:

M. B. Skinner, First, Holden, Mo.
Sam F. Hudson, Immanuel, Fayetteville, N. C. from Lexington.

Marion E. Parker, East Hickory Church, Hickory, N. C. from Whitesburg, Ky.

Thomas S. Field, First, Quitman, Ga. from Flushing, L. I.

A. L. Magee, Gordova, Pee Dee Association, N. C. from Thomasville.

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First Youth Week Reported

The report of the first Youth Week held in 1951 has just come in from the Union Chapel Church in Chickasaw County. Mrs. Opal Johnson in reporting their Youth Week has this to say: "I think Youth Week has been a wonderful experience for our church as a whole. Not only has it proved to be a blessing to our young people, but to the adults as well. It makes you appreciate Training Union more than ever before when you see the young people using the training they have received as they perform their duties of Youth Week with poise and assurance. Youth Week also reveals hidden talents that otherwise might not be revealed." How right you are, Mrs. Johnson. We hope hundreds of our churches will observe Youth Week this year.

Already reservations are coming in for Garaywa. The Mississippi Associational Training Union is sending their director, Mrs. Matt Duck. This would be a good investment for each association. A good investment for any church would be to send all their Training Union leaders to one week of the assembly. Select either week.

The merry month of May is just a month away from the District Convention time!! Yes the first convention will be in Union County, Glenfield Church. Glenfield is just a mile west of New Albany on Highway 78. From there the team goes to Corinth, Tate Street Church, and then to Calhoun City First, then to Winston Co. Murphy Creek Church, about seven miles east of Louisville, then to Forest and so closes the first week!! On the 11th at Bay Springs the second week begins, from there the team goes to Richton, then Lumberton, then Magnolia, closing the second week on Friday at Monticello. Beginning at Raymond on Monday the 18th, then to Pickens, from there to Moorhead, then Winona, with Sardis being the last meeting June 22. Hundreds of young people in churches large and small are in training for the various drills that will be conducted at these conventions. You will want your folk to be there to see and profit by these

drills even though you have no one on the program. Make a day for your church. Come in a bus.

In March there were 31 new unions organized to whom free literature was sent for the first quarter's work. There were six story hours, seven juniors, six intermediates, six young people's and six adults. If we could keep all our unions alive, already we would have a union in nearly every church in the state. Not more than 5% of our churches have never had a unit of training for some age group in the church, but leaders move, bad weather disrupts the program, and other things come to cause many of our unions to disband. Why not keep them alive? Most churches do these later years.

Two thousand nine hundred sixty-two study course awards were issued to our Mississippi Training Union members in March. Which, some years ago, was a good years record!! These were divided as follows—Administration, 93; Adults, 1,323; Young People, 267; Intermediate, 582; Junior, 697. Note how the adult interest grows, almost half of the total. Keep it that way. We have many more adults than we do any other age group in our church membership.

We are happy to correct an error in reporting our 100% associations. Walshall also has a union in every church in the association. Thanks to Pastor Robert Earl Shirley for giving us this correction. They have also just had a good study course.

50, 40 & 25 Years Ago

By REV. J. L. BOYD, SR.
50 Years Ago

Of the 59 messengers from Mississippi to the Southern Baptist Convention in 1901 at New Orleans only one is still alive. Rev. E. D. Solomon now of Florida.

The Steen's Creek (Florence) Church votes to send their pastor, Rev. A. L. O'Brian, to the Southern Baptist Convention.

40 Years Ago

The three Baptist Churches of Jackson closed the Convention year with greatly increased offerings for Missions (Home and Foreign): First, \$1,827, Rev. W. A. Borum, pastor; Second (Calvary), \$1,050, Rev. J. N. McMillian, pastor; and Griffith Memorial, \$250, Rev. J. C. Parker, pastor.

Rev. Bryan Simmons, state evangelist, resigns to accept the joint pastorate of the Terry and Bethesda Baptist churches, Hinds County.

25 Years Ago

Rev. J. L. Boyd is the supply pastor of First Church, Austin, Minn., as Mrs. Boyd convalesces at the Mayo Clinic from a major operation.

The Philadelphia Baptist Church has secured M. E. Perry as assistant to Pastor H. W. Shirley.

In their annual Bible Conference at Picayune, Pastor R. Q. Leavell had E. C. Williams to lecture on the Vacation Bible School; Dr. P. I. Lipsey on Some Distinctive Baptist Doctrines; Dr. B. H. DeMent on Personal Soul Winning; and Rev. L. G. Gates to speak on Second Coming of Christ.

Pastor J. M. Metts baptized 30 at Durant as result of a meeting in which Rev. W. M. Bostick of Memphis assisted. There were 40 additions in all.

Gordon V. Payne Ordained at Lucedale



REV. GORDON PAYNE

Rev. Gordon V. Payne was ordained to the gospel ministry by the Lucedale Church, April 22, at the evening service.

The ordination council was composed of Rev. E. I. Farr, Rev. O. B. Robertson, Rev. M. K. Lee, Rev. J. N. Holloway, T. S. Doty, J. W. Horn, T. M. Ferrell, C. S. Miller, Rev. G. S. Jenkins and Rev. Van H. Hardin.

Dr. E. I. Farr, of Clarke College, preached the ordination sermon. Rev. J. N. Holloway of Columbia presented the Bible and the pastor, Rev. Van Hardin, gave the charge.

Mr. Payne has operated a successful furniture business in Lucedale for several years. He was licensed by the Lucedale Church in 1949 and has since attended Clarke College.

The request for ordination came from the West Salem Church of Green County, where he was recently called as full-time pastor.

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THE BAPTIST RECORD GREATLY appreciates a nice list of renewal subscriptions from Lowland Church in Leflore County. The list was sent by Mrs. M. L. Methuir, the church clerk. The list included one member who is in the armed service in Korea.



Henry Riser, Jackson, a consecrated layman, deacon and chairman of the Finance Committee in the Calvary Church, an outstanding Mississippi auditor, a trustee of Mississippi Baptist Foundation and secretary-treasurer of the board.

Mississippi Baptist Foundation
Harry Spencer, Executive Secretary
Box 530
Jackson, Mississippi

Temple Church Is Organized At Petal

Temple Church was organized at Petal on April 1, and Dr. O. R. Mosely preached the first sermon at the service that night. Since its organization there have been 29 additions to the church, eight by baptism.

Rev. J. Aubrey Cothen has been called as pastor and began his work on April 15.

At the organizational service, Rev. T. A. Sumrall served as moderator, Mrs. L. B. Runnels as clerk, and the following assisted in the service: Dr. O. R. Mosely, Dr. O. P. Moore, W. G. Barlow, Rev. W. L. Yeatman, and Dr. T. D. Sumrall.



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Sunday School Lesson

Prepared by Dr. L. Bracey Campbell.
May 6.

DAVID UNITES THE KINGDOM.
II Samuel 5-8; II Chron. 22:17-19.

I. DAVID'S PERIOD OF TRAINING

We must think of David as a young man who was subjected to a long period of training for his work. He had been in the hands of God, the great Schoolmaster, for a long period of years. No experience through which God had guided him had been without its value in preparing him for his life work.

His days of discipline while he hid with his faithful followers in the fastnesses of his native hill country, the maneuvers by which he escaped the traps laid for him by his enemy, the tests of his resourcefulness by which his skill as a strategist was developed, his ability to maintain himself and his followers on the fruits of the land—all these were items in the whole of his course of training for his life's big work. Thus God gets His big men ready, by loving but sometimes very severe discipline.

Again is seen God's hand in David's training in the matter of the process by which he came into greatness. He was first at Hebron, grand old city of Caleb, but small in comparison with Jerusalem; king first over Judah and Benjamin, small in comparison with all Israel. For seven and one-half years David was trained in this smaller kingdom, and herein received a training for the execution of the larger work of God in the larger kingdom. Herein again is clearly discerned God's method of bringing His big men to maturity. Let God's big man gain confidence and courage and skill in doing well the lesser duties and then will he be fitted for the larger tasks.

II. GOD MOVES DAVID TO JERUSALEM

After seven years and six months of training in statecraft at Hebron—years of success because God was David's counselor and drill master, came the representatives of the other ten tribes to Hebron to David and offered him the highest dignity within their gift. Does this action upon the part of the ten tribes signify that a man who does well his part where he is by God's appointment will be promoted to a larger place in the work of his God? Does the pathway to a big place always lead through a progress of duties well done in smaller places?

This is the law of the ages, inexorable as any other law of the Almighty, that he who would climb to the top of any ladder, must begin from the bottom rung, and any man who would, to the glory of God, ascend to a large and lofty place in His service must start at the foot of the holy Mount of God.

From shepherd boy to court musician, to leadership of a division of his nation's army under the king, to a life of severe discipline in the wooded mountains of his native country, to the ruler's staff wielded over one tribe, to the kingship of the whole nation. This was the course of David's progress and this is a pattern after which the great Jehovah makes all His master men.

III. JERUSALEM THE CITY OF THE GREAT KING

Go now and locate me a city. Locate it out in the heart of the country in a terrain so rugged that no great highway will be constructed through it for three millenniums, off any river course, away from any abundant source of water supply, removed from proximity to any deposit of natural resources, in an unnoticed corner of the world. Now how will you make it the most famous city in the world in spite of its comparatively small population? In the time of which we are thinking, David found the answer. Make it the city of

CHICKASAW CO. CHURCH COMPLETES PASTORIUM



Mt. Olive Church, in Chickasaw County, recently completed an attractive new pastorium. This is the first rural church in the Chickasaw Association to have its own pastor's home. The modern five-room house with bath, is of frame and white asbestos construction. A butane gas heating system has been installed in both the home and the recently re-decorated church.

Within only a few weeks after it was voted to build the house, more than half enough money was raised for its construction, and in less than four months the home was completed. In September the pastor, Rev. J. E. Rogers, who has served since 1948, with Mrs. Rogers and their two daughters, Elizabeth and Lottie, moved in.

The Mt. Olive Church building, a five room brick structure erected on a pay-as-you-go plan, was completed early in 1944. The church has a membership of 189.

Three MC Students Get Scholarships

Scholarships have recently been awarded to three Mississippi College students: Dewitt Clarke Black, Jr., Drew; William Melton, Clinton, and Hannon Miller, Clinton.

Black has accepted a scholarship in the Woodrow Wilson School of International Relations at Princeton University. He hopes to enter diplomatic service.

Melton has been awarded a scholarship at the University of Alabama in the Historical Department.

Miller has accepted a scholarship of the Tulane University Law School. He will graduate in June with special distinction.

God.

Only yesterday I got to telling a man who never heard of it before of the most remarkable community, rural or urban, of which I know anywhere in the world—Mars Hill, Amite County, Mississippi. I named him a number of the families out there, not all of them, for I do not know them all, but I did name the Hewitts, the Kennas, the Branches, the Godbolds, the Burris, the Gardners, the Walkers, etc., Then I said, "The church is the reason for that. The church of the Lord Jesus, the place of the church of the Lord Jesus made for it by the fathers of the community. God in the homes of those old people, God exalted in their lives through the agency of that church, That made Jerusalem the world's most famous city, and that will make famous any city, hamlet or home."

IV. THE ARK AND THE PLANS FOR THE TEMPLE

The Ark of the Covenant was out in the woods. David purposed to bring it to the center of the nation's life. The Ark was the symbol of the presence of God David would bring this constant reminder of Jehovah to the attention of his people. And all along David was thinking of making a temple to the Glory of God, and David wanted God to have the great, the supreme glory, so he wanted the temple of God to stand the most splendid structure in the capital city. Let the temple with the Ark inside stand in the thought of the people in the loftiest place in the nation's life.

David did not see the temple completed, but he had the greater part in the building of it. He prepared the material in abundance, but far more important than anything else, he had the dream in his heart, the purpose in his scheme of life. He saw and greeted from afar the completed structure, and the magnificence of its proportions and the meaning of its ministry thrilled his soul.



Picayune Plans New Educational Building

Rev. John R. Maddox ended the first year of his work as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Picayune, Mississippi on April 15. During the past year there have been 207 additions to the church, 101 of whom came by baptism. The entire church building has been completely repaired and redecorated. The building committee is working on plans to be presented to the church very soon for a new Education Building to house 800 persons.

A Brotherhood has recently been organized and the members have an active visitation program in effect which is proving to be a great blessing to the church.

Rev. Blaine H. Grose, the Education and Music Director, has established the graded choir system.

CALENDAR OF PRAYER

- May 7—District Sunday School Conference meeting at Pine Grove, Lauderdale; G. A. Focus Week, 7-12; Christian Home Week 7-13.
- May 8—District Sunday School Conference meeting at Mantee; Fred Kennedy, Simpson County Associational Training Union President.
- May 9—District Sunday School Conference meeting at Harrisburg Church, Tupelo; Mrs. E. W. Clinton, Lawrence Associational Sunday School Superintendent.
- May 10—District Sunday School Conference meeting at Rienzi; J. T. Hill, Pascagoula, Baptist Orphanage trustee.
- May 11—District Sunday School Conference meeting at Columbus, First; Rev. H. P. Dayton, Clarke College faculty.
- May 12—Mrs. Sadie T. Crawley, vice-president and dean of students, Blue Mountain; Dr. S. B. Platt, District 5 Brotherhood.
- May 13—Miss Birdie Mae Summerhill, Mississippi College faculty.

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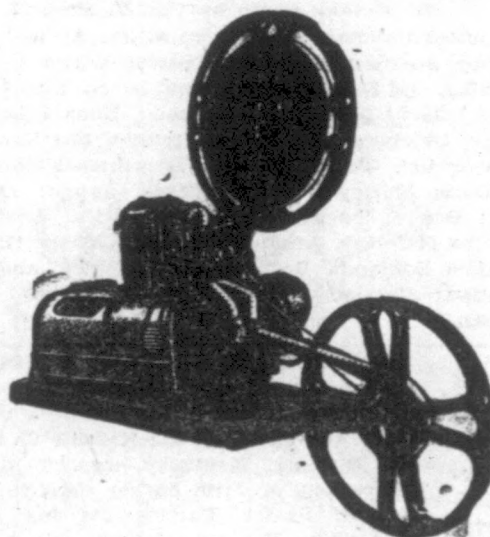
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Blue Mtn. Societies Elect Officers

The three literary societies of Blue Mountain College have elected the following officers for next session:

Euzelian: Betty Bur, Springfield, Tennessee, president; Peggy Laurence, Laurel, vice president; Becky Witt, Ripley, secretary-treasurer; Mirian Stacy, Tupelo, queen; Emma Jane Holmes, Tupelo and Evelyn Cruse, New Albany, program chairmen.

Modenian: Marion Mayes, Blytheville, Ark., president; Jean Black, Oxford, vice president; Betty Hicks, Sledge, secretary; Martha Huggins, Oxford, treasurer; Sara Beth Jordan, Kosciusko, athletic director; Martha Edge, Montgomery, Ala., and Melba Marion, Van Fleet, program chairmen.

Eunomian: Jean Lipsey, Memphis, Tenn., president; Helen James, Sumner, vice president; Myrtis Moore, Belden, secretary; Doris Blankenship, Black Mountain, N. C., treasurer; Virginia Jo Epting, Blue Springs, athletic director; Jean Faulkner, Blue Springs, and Joynelle Pearson, Houston, program chairmen; Marilyn Clayton, Cockrum, goddess.

Stockstill Enters Ministry

During the Simultaneous revival at First Church, Hattiesburg, Eugene Stockstill surrendered to the ministry. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Stockstill.

He graduated last spring from Mississippi College and had planned to enter the legal profession. During his college days he was active in youth revival work in many of the churches in Mississippi. He has already volunteered his services for the armed forces, but will attend one of our seminaries as soon as it is possible.

Rev. Clyde C. Bryan is pastor of the First Church, Hattiesburg.

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REV. TOM E. CARTER OF THE First Baptist Church, Sapulpa, Okla., was the evangelist in the Simultaneous Evangelistic Crusade revival meeting in the First Church, Winona. Rev. John Meador of Oklahoma Baptist University directed the music. There were 48 additions to the church during the 15 days of the meeting, 33 for baptism. One of the finest things which resulted from the revival was that the goal for the highest average attendance of 400 in Sunday school for all five of the Sundays in April was surpassed with an average attendance of 414. Rev. C. B. Hamlet, III, is the pastor.

Murphy Creek Dedicates Youth Building



Shown here is the Youth Building of the Murphy's Creek Church, a project of the Brotherhood, which has been dedicated free of debt.

Toxish Church Has Youth Week

Youth week was observed in Toxish Church, Pontotoc County, April 15-22, using the theme "Youth Makes The Choice."

James Robert Waters was youth week pastor. Towery Ware was superintendent of the Sunday School, and Nora Alice Stegall was director of the Training Union.

The deacons were Towery Ware, Edward Mayo, Wayne Eddington, Bobby Lee Ashmore, James Williams, J. W. Waters, and Lamar Waters.

Others who held important offices were: Virginia Ashmore, Jodye Jernigan, Mary Ethel Stegall, Ravena Dowdy, Peggy Ray Edwards, Darlene Tackitt, Betty Fay Owens, Thomas King Ware, Bobby Dee McCreight, Burton Ware, Earl Gilbert, and Elaine Waters.

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W. E. WALKER

On Saturday afternoon, March 10, 1951, the spirit of W. E. Walker, of West, left his home and this world, and winged it's way back to Heaven there to be with Jesus and the angels. Mr. Walker had been ill for several months. His illness was borne with utmost patience and absolute devotion to God. So many times he had remarked he loved his people, but, his love for God was his greatest love. There is such consolation and hope for these left behind to know that he was ready to go.

Mr. Walker united with the Baptist church early in life, and remained a faithful member until his death.

In his going he leaves his wife, Mrs. Clyde Hoover Walker, of West; one son, a daughter-in-law and grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker and Dwayne of Memphis, Tenn.; four brothers and two sisters and a host of other relatives and friends to mourn his passing.

Even though he will be missed so very much by his relatives and friends, we do know that God's will is best, and we feel that our loss is Heaven's gain.

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COVENANT CHURCH, CHOCTAW County, Rev. C. F. Anglin, pastor, observed a week of prayer and had a two weeks revival during the Evangelistic Crusade. There were 13 for baptism and three by letter.

REV. THEO. JAMES, PASTOR OF the First Church, McGehee, Arkansas, led in the two weeks Evangelistic Crusade at Bethel Church, Copiah County. There were 23 additions—21 by baptism and two by letter. Rev. Benton E. Evans is pastor.



—Photo by Fon H. Scofield, Jr.

Nineteen young people were appointed for overseas service at the April meeting of the Foreign Mission Board. They are (left to right): Charles Barton Clark, Louisiana, Venezuela; Jack Earl Walker (M.D.), Missouri, and Sarah Ella Cook Walker, Texas, Nigeria; Shirley Risk Clark, Missouri, Venezuela; Donald LeRoy Orr, Arkansas, and Violet Rogers Orr, Oklahoma, Colombia; Hannah Lee Barlow, Virginia, Japan; William H. Jackson, Jr., Texas, Japan; Dorothea Katherine (Dottie) Lane, Kentucky, Japan; Doris Shirley Jackson, Texas, Japan; Daisy Marie Brannan Lane, Texas, Africa; Bettye Jane Ewen, Texas, Africa; Leonard Guy Lane, New Mexico, Africa; Martha Hairston, Arkansas, Brazil; Johnni (Betty Jane) Johnson, Kentucky, Japan; Allen Benjamin Bedford, New Mexico, and La Nell Watson Bedford, Texas, Argentina; Harriett Hale Parker, Tennessee, and Franklin Calvin Parker, Florida, Japan.

AMONG RECENT VISITORS IN THE Baptist Building were:

Rev. Frank L. Campbell, Inverness; Shirley Jean Mc-Lendon, Crystal Springs; Marilyn Morton, Crystal Springs; Rev. M. D. Morton, Crystal Springs; Rev. R. R. Brigrance, Gloster; Rev. J. B. Parker, McLain; Rev. and Mrs. Charlie L. Bryant, Kokomo; Edna Horton, Jackson; Rev. W. A. Greene, Roxie; Joe Gonia, Clinton; Rev. D. I. Young, Greenville; Rev. Carroll Starkey, Ridgeland; Rev. N. H. Roberts, Canton; Clyde C. Wilson, Dallas, Texas; F. S. Groner, Memphis, Tenn.; Rev. J. B. Wilborn, Tchula; Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Hellen, DeQuincy, La.; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Davidson, Leland; Rev. G. L. Vaughan, Commerce, Texas; Rev. Coral V. Roberts, Greenville, Texas; Rev. James O. Melton, Jackson; Rev. O. C. Chance, Franklinton, La.; Wayne Chance, Franklinton, La.; Rev. Wallace Harrell, Pascagoula; Rev. W. T. Broadus, Wade; Ruth Johnson, Scooba; Edith Martin, Scooba; W. Otis Seal, Columbus; Rev. T. C. Johnson, Columbus; Rev. C. J. Rushing, Laurel; Rev. F. H. Rogers, Soso; J. D. Lundy,

REV. JOHN E. BARROW, A MISSIS- sippian and a former Mississippi pastor and now a student at the Southern Seminary and pastor of the Kidville Church, Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, reports three professions of faith during the Crusade revival. Pastor Barrow did his own preaching. The church has also voted to build an annex to the present structure.

Laurel; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Barton, Derna; Shelby Price, Ellisville; Rev. and Mrs. M. C. Waldrup, Lyon; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Head, Gulfport; Rev. E. C. Edwards, McComb; Charles J. Jackson, Yazoo City; Mrs. Matt Duck, Liberty; Mrs. Vernon Baumhardt, Jackson; Rev. and Mrs. Paul Cranford, Eupora; Rev. J. M. Majors, Terry; Margaret Smith, Jackson; Rev. Orman Knight, Laurel; Rev. Ernest B. Myers, Sunflower; Betty J. Britt, Newton; Lucille Packer, Newton; Doris McIntyre, Newton; Mrs. W. R. Henry, Athens, La.; L'Na Francis, Crystal Springs; Ruth Singletary, Crystal Springs; Catherine Carpenter, Clinton; Martha Maxwell, Clinton; Coleman Craig, Dallas, Texas, and Rev. C. M. Day, Durant.

The Youth Building of the Murphy Creek Church, a project of the Brotherhood, was dedicated free of debt on April 27 in a regular meeting of the Brotherhood to which the public was invited. The notes on the building were burned and R. B. Fulcher, president of the Bank of Louisville, was the speaker.

Out-door tables and lights have been added to the grounds.

The building and its equipment cost a little more than \$4,000. The labor was furnished by the men and much of the money came from a cotton crop cultivated by them. The land, seed, fertilizer, and labor for the crop were all donated. All the proceeds went into the building fund.

Rev. Erwin Brown came to the church as pastor in October, 1948, from the Southern Seminary. In December, 1948, the Brotherhood was organized and Claude Ming was elected president. Mr. Ming has been re-elected twice since. The Brotherhood now has an average attendance of 45 at its monthly meetings. The building committee was composed of Tommie Reed, Henry Hisaw and Mr. Ming.

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AIR FORCE OFFICER PROMOTES LIQUOR SALES

At a recent meeting of the City Council of Nome, Alaska, according to Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker, president of the National Temperance and Prohibition Council, Captain McKay, commanding officer of the Marks Air Force Base near Nome, asked the Council to rescind its regulations and permit the sale of alcoholic beverages to minors to be infringed, so far as minors in the Air Force were concerned.

Captain McKay told the Council that these boys were being served whiskey at the Base, that Fairbanks and Anchorage allows the privilege in Alaska as an overseas "measure." The Council also charged that Captain McKay, after the refusal of the Council to rescind their regulations stated that in future passes from the Base would not include a statement of the bearer's age.

Since this release was put in form, Lieutenant General W. E. Kepner in charge of the Alaska Command, has written Delegate Bartlett who represents Alaska in the House of Representatives, that Captain McKay had no authority to take the steps which eventuated in the action of the Council. Notwithstanding this fact, Captain McKay's action indicates a definite and dangerous drift